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INITIAL SCAN BY NPIC OF MISSION [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] REVEALS CONTINUED USE OF A PROBABLE STORAGE CAVE NEAR  
NORTH VIETNAM ROUTE 137 AT 1733N 10618E (UTM XE380414). THE  
CAVE, WITH AT LEAST SEVEN BUILDINGS DISPERSED ALONG THE ACCESS  
ROAD TO ROUTE 137, WAS FIRST IDENTIFIED ON PHOTOGRAPHY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THE AREA WAS SUBSEQUENTLY SUBJECTED TO AIR  
STRIKES AND PHOTOGRAPHY [REDACTED] REVEALED ALL  
BUILDINGS EITHER DESTROYED OR DISMANTLED AND EVIDENCE OF AT  
LEAST ONE BOMB IMPACT AT THE CAVE ENTRANCE. FRESH VEHICLE  
TRACKS ARE NOW OBSERVED TO BY-PASS THE INTERDICTED POINTS ON  
THE ACCESS ROAD AND CONTINUE TOWARDS THE CAVE.

MAP REF: GEOGRAPHIC COORDS FROM USATC SERIES 200, SHEET 0617-19HL  
UTM COORDS FROM AMS SERIES L701, SHEET 6263 I  
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